GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

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DE ADDICTION .
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of drug addiction cases that had come to light during each of the last three years;

(b) whether the Government are implementing a Scheme called `Scheme for Prohibition and Drug Abuse and Prevention`.

(c) whether providing grants-in-aid to NGOs for awareness, counselling, de-addiction and rehabilitation of addicts;

(d) if so, the details of

(b) and

(c);

(e) the total amount released to NGOs in different States particularly to Andhra Pradesh during the last three years, State-Wise;

(f) whether Government keeps a watch on the spending of fund provided to NGOs for this purpose; (g) if so, the method adopted to monitor the implementation of the scheme; (h) whether NGOs have to submit fund utilization certificate to the Government;(i) if so, the details thereof and number of NGOs in Andhra Pradesh who have not submitted such certificates for the last year i.e., 1999, State-wise; and (j) the number of cases that had come to the notice of the Government for misutilisation/diversion of funds by NGOs in Andhra Pradesh and action taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

(SMT. MANEKA GANDHI)

(a)to(d) The Government of India is implementing a Scheme called the Scheme for Prevention of Alcoholism and Substance [Drugs] Abuse under which financial assistance is given to NGOs inter-alia for setting up/running De-addiction Centres and Conselling Centres and for conducting De-conducting Camps. The number of drug addiction cases registered at these centers during the last three years is an under:-

1997-98 1998-99 1999-2000
2,49,048 2,26,018 2,66,831

(e) A statement showing the grants-in-aid released to NGOs under the scheme during the last three years is at ANNEXURE-I.

(f)&(g) This Ministry has a system of monitoring and evaluation of the performance of the voluntary organization through periodical reports, which are sought from the Counselling/De-addiction Centres. Further, in order to ensure effective functioning of grantee organization and proper utilization of grants, this Ministry obtains from the grantee NGOs utilization certificate and audited accounts duly certified by a Chartered Accountant. Each NGO is also inspected by the State Government/Nodal Agency every year. The second instalment of grant is released to the NGOs only on the basis of the inspection report and recommendation of the Government/Nodal Agency.

(h) Yes, Sir.

(i) No Utilisation Certificate is pending from any NGO in Andhra Pradesh. However, a statement showing the number of NGOs in other States from whom utilization certificates for the year 1999-2000 are awaited is at ANNEXURE-II.

(j) None.
ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT SHOWING GRANT-IN-AID RELEASED TO NGOs UNDER THE SCHEME FOR PREVENTION OF ALCOHOLISM AND SUBSTANCE (DRUGS) ABUSE DURING THE YEAR 1997-98 TO 1999-2000

GRANT RELEASED (RS. IN LAKH)

S. No.	State	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000
1.	Assam	3.13	19.03	29.59
2.	Andhra Pradesh	28.15	30.93	71.22
3.	Bihar	108.35	30.32	44.38
4.	Goa	9.22	6.18	14.51
5.	Gujarat	48.19	44.46	54.94
6.	Haryana	57.16	84.05	94.09
7	Jammu & Kashmir	10.59	13.65	10.12
8.	Himachal Pradesh	-	-	-
9.	Karnataka	31.32	41.30	71.69
10.	Kerala	113.59	103.82	119.24
11.	Madhya Pradesh	12.57	33.58	41.64
12.	Maharashtra	59.91	124.32	227.28
13.	Manipur	67.98	163.64	158.07
14.	Meghalaya	2.18	11.62	9.97
15.	Mizoram	26.43	49.70	51.01
16.	Nagaland	18.84	32.05	49.86
17.	Orissa	61.52	103.80	131.10
18.	Punjab	51.72	62.42	88.04
19.	Rajasthan	42.82	66.93	66.54
20.	Sikkim	2.06	3.12	
21.	Tamil Nadu	80.61	65.46	83.07
22.	Tripura	5.01	7.97	9.25
23.	Uttar Pradesh	149.55	235.74	245.68
24.	West Bengal	62.10	82.20	116.27
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25.	Chandigarh	7.93	9.98	10.66
26.	Delhi	98.91	66.87	60.49
27.	Pondicherry	5.17	8.60	5.43

ANNEXURE-II

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF NGOS FROM WHOM UTILISATION CERTIFICATE FOR 99-2000 IS AWAITED.(AS ON 1.12.2000)

S. No.	State	Number of NGOs
1.	Assam	2
2.	Goa	1
3.	Haryana	3

4. Karnataka 4

5. Madhya Pradesh 2
6. Maharashtra 12

7 Manipur 1

8. Nagaland 2

9. Orissa 6
10. Punjab 3
11. Tamil Nadu 1
12. Uttar Pradesh 3
13. West Bengal 1